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NATIONAL BROILER MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

Majority prices were trending five cents lower in the Midwest, two cents lower in the East, and one cent lower in the West when compared to previous week. Trade sentiment was weak in all areas. Retail and distributive demand was slow to instances moderate, but slightly better into fast food channels. Supplies of all sizes were at least adequate to ample and frequently discounted to aid in movement. Floor stocks were balanced to long. In the parts structure, trading was mostly light to no better than fair entering the weekend. Breast items were fully adequate to plentiful and heavily discounted to stimulate interest. Dark meat was readily available, and wings were sufficient and moving. In production areas, live supplies were moderate at weights in a full range.

PRELIMINARY REPORT Prices negotiated for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook broiler/fryers fob and delivered to first receivers at major market areas week of 24-SEP-2007 (cents per lb)

US Grade A

(Including branded product)

Areas	Majority	Range	Wtd Avg	Loads
Delivered to First Receivers				
Chicago	65.00-68.00	42.00-84.50	68.73	26
New York	73.00-76.00			
Los Angeles	88.00			
Southeast Area FOB Dock Equivalent				
Mississippi	78.00-82.00	50.00-87.00	80.89	86

GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES The Georgia f.o.b. dock quoted price on broilers/fryers for this week's trading is **81.50** cents based on ice-packed USDA grade "A" sized 2 1/2 to 3 pound birds.

PRELIMINARY FOB DOCK OR EQUIVALENT

LOADS	RANGE	WTD AVG
928	76.00 – 83.00	81.04

GA f.o.b. dock confirmed PRELIMINARY WTD AVG price on ice-packed parts:

ITEM	WTD AVG (CENTS PER POUND)	VOLUME (000) POUNDS
LINE RUN TENDERS	196.50	1,199
BREASTS - B/S	173.50	5,008
BREASTS - WHOLE	106.50	1,114
THIGH MEAT - B/S	111.50	1,011
LEG QUARTERS	47.00	7,694
WINGS	129.50	2,435

This information is supplied by the GA Dept of Agriculture's Poultry Market News Service.

MIDWEST REGION Preliminary majority delivered prices into the Chicago market were lower. Whole broiler/fryer trade sentiment was weak. Offerings were ample and slow to clear; fill-in prices on wogs noted at 53 cents delivered. Retail demand was quiet with slow to moderate demand reported. Food service activity varied; slow to light into restaurants, light to moderate for catering and moderate to good into fast food. Floor stocks were more than adequate overall; weights desirable to heavy. Parts trade was slow. Supplies were fully available with breast items ample. The trade sentiment was weak on breast cuts; and steady to barely steady on the balance of parts.

WESTERN REGION Preliminary majority prices were lower throughout the region. Limited trading reported for next week's delivery and at mainly lower prices. Offerings remained in an ample position for immediate needs. Steep discounts offered in hopes of stimulating interest. Buying activity was fair. Retailer demand was moderate overall. Dealers anticipated moderate weekend carryovers. The market was weak on breasts, with balance of parts about steady.

SOUTHERN REGION Trade sentiment was weak. Demand entering the weekend was slow to fair with limited trading, mostly for regular commitments. Supplies of all sizes were fully adequate to ample and discounted to help clear additional product. In the parts structure, demand was fair at best for end of the week trading. Breast items were at least adequate to plentiful and heavily discounted. Wings were sufficient and moving satisfactorily, and dark meat was available. In production areas, live supplies were moderate at mixed, but mostly desirable weights.

NORTHEAST REGION Trucklot buying activity on ready-to-cook whole broiler/fryers was slow to fair at best entering the weekend with most dealers' keeping floor stocks in close balance with immediate needs. Offerings of all sizes were readily available and discounted in some instances. Retail and distributive movement was light. Fast food interest was fair to moderate. The market tone was weak. In the parts complex, breast items and tenders were plentiful with limited movement. Wings were adequate and dark meat cuts were at least adequate for current needs.

DELMARVA Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was light to at times moderate entering the weekend. Seller offerings were closely balanced to fully adequate and competitively priced in some areas. Live supplies were moderate; weights varied in a full range of light to heavy. Processor schedules were moderately heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were one cent lower at 75 to 89 cents. Trade sentiment was mostly weak and unsettled. In the parts complex, wings were adequate and continued to move satisfactorily. B/S breast items were fully adequate to ample and discounted to stimulate interest. Dark meat cuts were fully sufficient to available for current trade needs.

*BROILER/FRYER CURRENT NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIPMENTS OF BRANDED AND WING TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FORM DELMARVA

BRANDED U.S. GRADE A

RANGE	75-92
WEIGHTED AVERAGE	(A)
NO. OF BOXES	(A)
CUMULATIVE	09/17/07-09/21/07 (A)
	09/18/06-09/22/06 (A)
NO. OF BOXES	09/17/07-09/21/07 (A)
	09/18/06-09/22/06 (A)

(A) Not reported to avoid disclosing individual operations.

SOUTHERN STATES BROILER PARTS F.O.B. DOCK OR EQUIVALENT, ICED-PACKED, PRICES SHOWN ARE DAY OF SHIPMENT (INCLUDES CURRENT AND PRIOR NEGOTIATIONS). TRUCKLOT AND LESS THAN TRUCKLOT VOLUME. CENTS PER POUND.

Sep 20, 2007

ITEM	LBS (000)	RANGE	MAJ	WTD AVG
BREAST - B/S		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
TENDERLOINS		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
BREAST - LINE RUN		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
FRONT HALVES		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
LEGS	168	49.00-64.00	53-54	53.05
LEG QUARTERS (BULK)	498	37.00-49.00	40-41	40.24
LEG QUARTERS (4/10)	864	40.00-49.00	43-44	43.44
WINGS (WHOLE)	239	110.00-130.00	-	116.19
WINGS (CUT)	150	128.00-141.00	-	136.57
DRUMSTICKS		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
THIGHS		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
B/S THIGHS		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
WHOLE BODY INDEX BASED ON SOUTHERN STATES PARTS				
TRADING FOR Sep 20, 2007 -- F.O.B. DOCK.				

RANGE	TODAY'S AVERAGE
53.00 - 63.00	56.62

					Sep 21, 2007 WEEKLY	
LBS (000)	RANGE	MAJ	WTD AVG		(000)	WTD AVG
	TOO FEW TO REPORT				3,185	138.04
	TOO FEW TO REPORT				949	132.81
	TOO FEW TO REPORT				522	89.39
	TOO FEW TO REPORT				275	73.75
	TOO FEW TO REPORT				1,036	54.14
555	36.00-46.00	40-41	39.69		2,623	40.32
885	39.00-49.00	43-44	43.49		4,127	43.48
270	112.00-130.00	-	118.96		1,339	119.18
	TOO FEW TO REPORT				650	136.49
	TOO FEW TO REPORT				325	54.71
	TOO FEW TO REPORT				92	49.39
	TOO FEW TO REPORT				352	100.84
WHOLE BODY INDEX BASED ON SOUTHERN STATES PARTS						
TRADING FOR Sep 21, 2007 -- F.O.B. DOCK.						

RANGE	TODAY'S AVERAGE	5-DAY AVERAGE
45.50 - 62.50	52.60	56.93

The Index is intended solely as an indicator of values for commodity-type product and does not represent industry's willingness to sell or ability to buy.

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Trucklot buying interest was mostly light to no better than fair at best entering the weekend as most dealers worked hand-to-mouth and saw no need to extend floorstocks beyond regular commitments. Supplies of breast items and tenders were readily available and often discounted to stimulate additional buyer interest. Dark meat cuts were fully sufficient for current needs and wings were adequate. Movement through retail and distributive channels was light to fair. The market tone was weak for breast items and tenders. The balance of items were mostly steady.

ICE PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CENTS PER POUND.

Sep 20, 2007

ITEM	CURRENT NEG TRADING*	WTD AVG**	VOL /LBS
BREAST - B/S	150	152.33	655,042
TENDERLOINS	140	146.74	101,120
BREAST - WITH RIBS	95-96	101.88	111,720
BREAST - LINE RUN	95	94.60	86,400
LEGS	61-62	65.97	80,000
LEG QUARTERS (BULK)	44-45	46.33	196,320
DRUMSTICKS	64-65	64.83	81,596
THIGHS	53-54	61.90	62,140
B/S THIGHS	110-111	112.93	56,680
WINGS (WHOLE)	128-129	135.41	123,720
BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED)	10-12	11.01	13,400
LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS)	35-40	37.80	10,920
GIZZARDS (HEARTS)	70-75	74.94	13,640

INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NJ, MA, CT, RI, AND PA (NORTHEAST OF HARRISBURG).

TODAY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M.

** WTD AVG PRICE OF ALL GRADES AND BRANDS OF PRODUCT SHIPPED, OR TO BE SHIPPED AS OF 1:30 P.M.

					Sep 21, 2007 WEEKLY	
CURRENT NEG TRADING*	WTD AVG**	VOL/LBS			WTD AVG	WEEKLY VOL/LBS
145-150	144.44	578,250			153.56	2,683,736
135-140	143.52	103,840			148.62	546,410
93-94	101.21	71,960			103.12	420,640
93	93.57	113,400			96.75	478,800
61-62	65.25	101,080			64.84	473,079
44-45	46.67	207,000			46.52	1,125,327
64-65	66.05	86,560			62.29	491,124
53-54	62.09	55,590			61.77	304,850
110-111	110.57	89,560			113.02	299,080
128-129	132.63	133,160			131.81	685,496
10-12	11.07	15,200			11.10	84,640
35-40	38.89	11,040			37.96	40,880
70-75	75.28	16,760			74.76	77,760

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER-FRYERS

	ESTIMATED (1,000)		ACTUAL (1,000)		AVG WTS		ACTUAL (1,000)		AVG WTS
	09/21	09/20	09/19	09/18	09/19	09/18	09/14	09/12	
Alabama	4,508	4,124	4,132	4,083	5.50	5.57	4,453	5.57	
Arkansas	5,121	5,136	5,395	5,379	5.35	5.45	5,474	5.35	
Delmarva	2,422	2,252	2,253	2,254	5.99	6.03	2,209	5.76	
KY-LA-TN	2,411	2,458	2,425	2,416	5.12	5.22	2,351	4.98	
Mississippi	3,117	3,134	2,937	3,153	5.72	5.61	3,250	5.62	
North Carolina	3,143	2,916	2,884	2,859	6.92	6.95	3,247	6.93	
Texas	2,596	2,591	2,469	2,563	5.39	5.40	2,745	5.29	
Total	23,318	22,611	22,495	22,707	5.67	5.71	23,729	5.62	
Mon-Fri	114,242(A)						113,204(A)		
Saturday	1,465(included in total for date shown)						1,337		

Weekly cumulative for states listed above.

Broiler-fryer slaughter under federal inspection for 21-Sep-07 and 22-Sep-07 is estimated to be 34,886,000 head down 2.03 percent from a week ago and up 5.03 percent from a year ago. (Last week 35,608,000, last year 33,214,000)

Weekly broiler-fryer slaughter under federal inspection for the weekending 22-Sep-07 is estimated to be 170,521,000 head up 1.30 percent from a week ago, and up 2.88 percent from a year ago. (Last week 168,326,000, last year 165,750,000)

Actual data incorporated when available.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA (L.A. AREA) PROCESSED POULTRY, DELIVERED TO RETAILERS

	RANGE
FRESH FRYERS	92-102
ROASTERS 4# & UP	109-118
HENS UNDER 5#	
HENS OVER 5#	70-79
DUCKS	
RABBITS-WHOLE	
RABBITS-CUT UP	

SAN FRANCISCO PROCESSED POULTRY, DELIVERED TO RESTAURANTS AND INSTITUTIONS

BROILER/FRYER 2# & OVER	ICE PACK	126
	DRY PACK	130
ROASTERS 4# & UP	ICE PACK	145
	DRY PACK	125
HENS OVER 5#	ICE PACK	109
	DRY PACK	124
DUCKS		199-204

YOUNG CHICKENS SLAUGHTERED

W/E 15-Sep-07 Under Federal Inspection (Preliminary)

	-----Thousands-----				
	A	B	C	D	
	4.25 lbs	4.26 -	6.26 -	7.76 lbs	
	& down	6.25 lbs	7.75 lbs	& up	Total
Head	41,231	84,820	32,484	9,791	168,326
Avg Live Wgt	3.84	5.35	7.08	8.25	5.48
% of total /1	25%	50%	19%	6%	100%

Comparisons

Last week	39,946	75,247	27,239	7,064	149,496
Avg Live Wgt	3.75	5.39	7.05	8.19	5.39
% of total /1	27%	50%	18%	5%	100%

Year Ago 2/	39,683	91,524	24,754	10,551	166,512
Avg Live Wgt	3.90	5.39	7.04	8.15	5.45
% of total /1	24%	55%	15%	6%	100%

To date/2007	1,602,040	2,984,144	957,696	398,531	5,942,411
To date/2006	1,722,979	2,939,836	845,412	458,496	5,966,723

/1 May not total to 100% due to rounding. /2 Comparable week.

Weight Class Description:

(A) This size product is normally marketed bone-in into fast food and food service sectors and may include Cornish hens.

(B) This size product is normally marketed into the retail grocery sector in tray pack or bagged forms.

(C) This size product is normally marketed either into the retail grocery sector in tray pack and IQF form or is further processed and marketed into various sectors.

(D) This size product is normally marketed deboned or as roasters or roasting chicken.

LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION(PRELIMINARY) YOUNG LIGHT HEAVY TOTAL
W/E 15-SEP-2007 CHICKENS HENS HENS HENS DUCKS

	-----THOUSANDS-----				
Head	168,326	947	1,551	2,498	465
Avg Wt	5.48	3.35	7.91	6.18	6.76
Last week	149,496	795	1,119	1,914	460
Same wk yr ago	166,512	970	1,542	2,512	546
Avg Wt	5.45	3.36	8.14	6.29	6.73
To-date/2007	5,942,411	40,798	53,547	94,345	18,549
To-date/2006	5,966,723	40,564	54,789	95,353	18,625

(A) The estimated number of fryers available for marketing based on the 2-week revised average chick placements 6 to 7 weeks earlier was 168.4 million head. Estimated U.S. slaughter for this period was 170.4 million head, or 2.0 million more than estimated available.

**ESTIMATED U.S. FRYER SLAUGHTER/
FRYER AVAILABILITY COMPARISON**

MILLION HEAD					
WEEK ENDING	SLTRD	AVAIL	PCT	AVG WT	
Aug 11	167.4	170.5	98%	5.31	
18	167.7	169.5	99%	5.40	
25	168.8	168.9	100%	5.30	
Sept 1	173.6	165.9	105%	5.37	
8	151.3	164.8	92%	5.39	
15	170.4	168.4	101%	5.48	
Year to date	6014.4	6101.0	99%		
Sept 22		169.1			
29		168.1			

BROILER/CATTLE/HOG WEEKLY ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER

Under Federal inspection

	-----Thousands-----				
W/E	09/22/07	09/15/07	%CHG	09/23/06	%CHG
Broilers	170,521	168,326 *	+1.30	165,750 *	+2.88
Cattle	645	643	0	658*	-02
Hogs	2,242	2,226	+01	2,140 *	+05

*Actual

EASTERN REGION MISCELLANEOUS POULTRY

For delivery the week of SEP 17, 2007

DUCKLINGS: PRICES NEGOTIATED BY FIRST RECEIVERS, US GRADE A, 4-5 POUNDS DELIVERED IN TRUCKLOT AND POOL TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CENTS PER POUND

ORIGIN	FROZEN	FRESH
LONG ISLAND	159-163	163-167
MOSTLY		

MIDWEST	136-146	138-148
MOSTLY		

ROASTERS: PRICES NEGOTIATED BY FIRST RECEIVERS, US GRADE A AND PLANT GRADE, 5 POUNDS AND UP, DELIVERED, CENTS PER POUND

	RANGE	MOSTLY
ICE PACKED (12 PER BOX)	71.00-82.25	75.00-81.00
VACUUM PACKED (6-9 PER BOX)	71.00-86.00	78.00-86.00

SQUABS:

NEW YORK AREA WHOLESALE PRICES, FROZEN, PLANT GRADE, DOLLARS PER DOZEN, 1 TO 10 BOXES

12 OZ.	62.64-85.05
14 OZ.	69.12-96.39
16 OZ.	74.88-106.73

THE EASTERN REGION INCLUDES:

CT, DE, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY, RI, SC, VA, VT, WV

CENTRAL REGION DUCKLINGS Prices unchanged. The trade sentiment was steady. Demand was fairly good. Supplies were adequate. Schedules full-time. Prices paid to first receivers for 10-18oz boneless breast at \$4.50-5.25, bone in legs at \$1.45-2.40, gizzards at \$1.20-1.40, wings at \$.60-.70, livers at \$.95-1.70, and feet at \$.55-.90.

PRICES NEGOTIATED BY FIRST RECEIVERS FOR US GRADE A DELIVERED IN TRUCKLOT AND POOL TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, 4-5 POUNDS, CENTS PER POUND, WEEK OF 17-SEP-2007

ORIGIN	FROZEN	FRESH
MIDWEST AND OTHERS	122-146	130-148

GRAYSTONE SMALL ANIMAL AUCTION -

DATE OF AUCTION: SEP 18, 2007

PRICES PAID PER POUND, EXCEPT AS NOTED

AI PAPERS REQUIRED TO SELL ALL OUT OF STATE POULTRY

	RANGE
Muscovy Ducks - Drakes	1.25 - 1.30
Doves	3.70 - 5.10 ea.
Pekin Ducks	- 2.00 ea.
Red Fowl 4-6 LBS	.45 - .50
Red Fowl 5-6 LBS	.70 - .90
Crossbred Fowl 5-9 LBS	.50 - .60
Crossbred Roosters 4-6 LBS	.70 - .90
Crossbred Roosters 7-11 LBS	.50 - .70
Guinea Fowl	8.00 - 9.00 ea.
Banty Roosters	2.00 - 2.75 ea.
Banty Hens	1.25 - 1.75 ea.
Silkie	1.50 - 2.00 ea.
Geese 9-14 LBS	.20 - .30
Pigeons	1.75 - 2.00 ea.
White Pigeons	2.00 - 2.25 ea.
Rabbits 4-6 LBS	1.40 - 1.50
Rabbits 6-9 LBS	1.35 - 1.50
Bunnies	1.25 - 4.50 ea.
Guinea Pigs	1.00 - 4.50 ea.
Goats	22.00 - 40.00 ea.
Kid Goats	21.00 - 25.00 ea.
Muscovy Ducks - Hens	1.25 - 1.30

Total Coops Sold 432

LIVE HEAVY-TYPE HENS (7 POUNDS AND UP)
PRELIMINARY PRICE, CENTS PER LB., GENERALLY FOR
SLAUGHTER THE WEEK OF 24-SEPTEMBER-2007

SOUTH CENTRAL Trading on heavy fowl was TFEWR. Demand was moderate for at least adequate offerings from primary users. Finished sales were showing signs of seasonal improvement. Schedules were reduced to normal. Trade sentiment was about steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
AT FARM BUYER LOADING	TOO FEW TO REPORT	

SOUTHEAST Sales were too few to report prices. Demand was fair to moderate at best for the at least adequate offerings of spent hens. Processing schedules for next week were normal. Sales of finished product was fair. The undertone was generally steady .

	RANGE	MAJORITY
AT FARM BUYER LOADING	TOO FEW TO REPORT	
AT FARM PRODUCER LOADING	TOO FEW TO REPORT	
FOB PLANT	TOO FEW TO REPORT	

*WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUBJECT TO DISCOUNT.

LIVE LIGHT-TYPE HENS
CENTS PER HEAD, GENERALLY FOR REMOVAL
WITHIN THE NEXT 10 DAYS
(INCLUDES HANDLING, FREIGHT AND ANY OTHER
CHARGES, WEIGHTS AVERAGE ABOUT 3.50 POUNDS)

EASTERN REGION Prices were generally unchanged when compared to the previous week. Demand was mostly moderate for the adequate offerings of light type hens. Processing schedules were normal. Trade sentiment was steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	3-12	6-8

SOUTH CENTRAL Trading was limited on fully adequate supplies of spent leghorn fowl. Demand was selective and measured. Schedules were reduced. Finished sales were fair at best. Costs of disposal were expected to remain constant.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	TOO FEW TO REPORT	

NORTH CENTRAL Prices unchanged. Offerings were adequate to ample with demand moderate to fairly good. Trade sentiment steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	0-9	0-4.5

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET Trading for heavy canners were too few to report; generally unchanged on lights when compared to the previous week. Supplies of both light and heavy canners were adequate to at least adequate for current needs with most available supplies of heavy canners being used internally. Demand was mostly fair to moderate. Processing schedules were normal. The undertone was generally steady.

Cents per Pound, Current Negotiations, Without Freight Cost

LIGHT CANNER HENS (LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS)	HEAVY CANNER HENS (WITHOUT NECKS)
23-30 MAJORITY 26-27	TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT

Cents per Pound, Current Negotiations, Freight Cost Included

LIGHT CANNER HENS (LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS)	HEAVY CANNER HENS (WITHOUT NECKS)
24-32.5 MAJORITY 29-30	TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT

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